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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO AUGUST 31, 1999  
OFFICE ACTION, SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT AND PETITION FOR A THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Amendment is submitted in response to an August 31, 1999 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the August 31, 1999 Office Action was originally due November 30, 1999. Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time. Applicants have previously established small entity status. The required fee for a three month extension of time for a small entity is \$435.00 and a check in this amount is enclosed. Therefore, a response is now due February 29, 2000. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Please amend the subject application as follows:

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 94-96, 98-101 and 105-113 without prejudice to applicants right to pursue the subject matter of these claims in a later-filed application and add new claims 114-126 as follows:

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--114. (New) An antibody which binds to prostate specific membrane antigenic polypeptide comprising a fragment  
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